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For: SECURE TRANSACTION PROCESSING SYSTEM AND
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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the document listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449.

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The Examiner's attention is directed to the enclosed copy of the PCT Notification of Transmittal of International Preliminary Examination Report and the attached International Preliminary Examination Report, issued in International Patent Application No. PCT/US01/00295, dated 23 September 2002, which corresponds to the present application. The reference cited therein, U.S. Patent No. 6,029,150, was brought to the Examiner's attention in an Information Disclosure Statement, dated October 17, 2001, in connection with the present application. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner make this Examination Report of record in the subject application.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider the above information and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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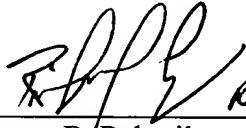
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Early and favorable action is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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